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MONDAY, April 20th, 1868,

at 1 o'clock P. M., the following described real estate, late aforesaid decedent, viz: All [illegible] parcel or tract of land situated in Raccoon township, said county, bounded on the east by the [illegible] road, on the north by land of Wm. Kennedy [illegible] John Kennedy, on the west by land of John [illegible] and on the south by lands of William [illegible] containing fifty acres, about thirty acres cleared [illegible] in good state of cultivation, balance well timbered.

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Executor.

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On and after Nov. 25th, 1867, Trains will leave Stations [illegible] at 4.30 P. M., leaves daily.] [Trains leave Pittsburgh at 2.45 P. M., leaves daily.]

TRAINS GOING WEST.

	Exp's.	Exp's.	Exp's.	Exp's
[illegible]	645AM	930AM	215PM	200AM
[illegible]	815	1010	335	310
[illegible]	1053	1220PM	505	458
[illegible]	1140	105	630	550
[illegible]	1237PM	116	717	633
[illegible]	1257	201	736	654
[illegible]	126	240	813	728
[illegible]	210	312	840	758
[illegible]	105	500	1021	910
[illegible]	415	529	1055	1010
[illegible]	600AM	610	1120	1015
[illegible]	631	640	1150	1050
[illegible]	715	722	1228AM	1115
[illegible]	749	755	1258	1142
[illegible]	910	910	211	1251PM
[illegible]	1043	1020	320	155
[illegible]	1229PM	1150	455	320
[illegible]	117	1235AM	538	401
[illegible]	205	120	631	[illegible]
[illegible]	205	235	755	605
[illegible]	412	413	923	735
[illegible]	700	620	1123	920

TRAINS GOING EAST.

	Exp's.	Exp's.	Exp's.	Exp
[illegible]	[illegible]	1020PM	150PM	450AM
[illegible]	861	1230AM	625AM	630
[illegible]	1031	255	810	815
[illegible]	1127	346	911	950
[illegible]	1241PM	441	941	1038
[illegible]	115	610	1040	1110
[illegible]	228	723	1136	115PM
[illegible]	250	827	1231AM	237
[illegible]	441	945	141	405
[illegible]	503	1010	206	438
[illegible]	528	1054	241	525
[illegible]	605	1125	310	600
[illegible]	625	1150	320	635
[illegible]	657	1225PM	348	656
[illegible]	820	113	516	822
[illegible]	907	205	540	855
[illegible]	913	235	613	929
[illegible]	1001	252	633	1000
[illegible]	1100	335	740	1115
[illegible]	1132	404	730	1149
[illegible]	[illegible]AM	540	940	1251PM
[illegible]	230	645	1045	310

[illegible] New Castle and Erie Express leaves [illegible] p. m; New Castle, 3:05 p.m; arrives [illegible] p. m. Returning, leaves Pittsburgh [illegible] N. Castle, 5:25 a. m; Youngstown, 6:30. [illegible] New Castle and Pittsburgh Accommodation [illegible] Youngstown, 6:00 a. m; New Castle, 7.20, [illegible] at Allegheny, 10:00 a. m. Returning, [illegible] p. m; arrives New Castle, 5 20 [illegible] Youngstown, 5:22 p. m. [illegible] Cleveland Express, via. Youngstown [illegible] Pittsburgh, 9:30 a. m; Homewood, 11 10 [illegible] Junction, 11:30 a. m. Arrives at [illegible] 12 50 p. m. [illegible] leaves Youngstown 5:30 p. m; Lawrence [illegible] p. m; Homewood, 4:00 p. m. Arrives [illegible] p. m.

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On and after Nov. 25, 1867, trains will leave Stations (Sundays excepted) as follows:

GOING SOUTH.

	Mail.	Exp's.	Mail.	Accom
[illegible]	820AM	1201PM	......	315PM
[illegible]	831	1221	......	336
[illegible]	955	108	......	510
[illegible]	1010	141	......	543
[illegible]	1130	223	......	610
[illegible]	1141	252	......	......
[illegible]	120PM	415	......	......

GOING NORTH.

	Mail.	Exp's.		Accom
[illegible]	850AM	310PM	......	......
[illegible]	1022	535	......	......
[illegible]	1115	615	......	715AM
[illegible]	1201PM	652	......	841
[illegible]	1234	718	......	850
[illegible]	137	804	......	1002
[illegible]	150	815	......	1015

GOING EAST.

	Mail.	Exp's.	Exp's.	Accom
[illegible]	450PM	610AM	1040AM	....
[illegible]	[illegible]	625	1050	....
[illegible]	[illegible]	743	1158	....
[illegible]	[illegible]	845	110PM	500
[illegible]	[illegible]	907	202	735
[illegible]	[illegible]	000	000	000
[illegible]	550	920	240	830
[illegible]	[illegible]	1055	350	945

GOING WEST.

	Mail.	Exp's.	Exp's.	Accom
[illegible]	615AM	200PM	420PM	330PM
[illegible]	[illegible]	205	530	440
[illegible]	[illegible]	000	000	000
[illegible]	812	343	615	547
[illegible]	[illegible]	420	655	625
[illegible]	900	520	731	......
[illegible]	1112	630	857	......
[illegible]	1125	640	910	......

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[illegible] 655 a. m. Arrives Bayard, 955, a m; N. Philadelphia 250pm.

F. R. MYERS, General Ticket Agent.

Administrator's Notice.—Letters of Administration on the estate of William Ralston, late of Hanover township, Beaver county, Penn'a., dec'd, having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to the said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the estate of said decedent, will present them properly authenticated for settlement.
ARCHIBALD RALSTON,
Administrator.
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Administrator's Notice. Letter of Administration on the estate of William Todd, dec'd., late of Hopewell township, Beaver county Pa., having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to the said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the estate of said decedent, will make known the same without delay.
JANE TODD, Adm'rx.,
THOS. A. TODD, Adm'r.
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THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE:

THAT ON THE 14TH DAY OF MARCH A. D. 1868 a Warrant in Bankruptcy was issued against the estate of M. F. Scott, of New Brighton, in the county of Beaver and State of Pennsylvania, who has been adjudged a Bankrupt on his own petition; that the payment of any debts and delivery of any property belonging to such Bankrupt, to him, or for his use, and the transfer of any property by him are forbidden by Law; that a meeting of the Creditors of the said Bankrupt, to prove their Debts, and to choose one or more Assignees of his Estate, will be held at a Court of Bankruptcy, to be holden at the Huron House in New Brighton, Penn'a., before Joseph B. Donley, Esq., Register, on the 2d day of May, A. D. 1868, at 11 o'clock A. M.
THOMAS A. ROWLEY,
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Capt. J. S. Winans,
William Sagers,
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Dr. J. D. McCreary,
Milo N. Miller,
David Lesick,
Capt. James Roney,
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William Reed,
Kelly Hunter,
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Samuel Taylor,
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Thomas Beacom,
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David Lloyd,
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Mr. Wray,
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EDUCATIONAL COLUMN.

G. L. EBERHART, Editor.

BEAVER, April 1, 1868.

[ALL COMMUNICATIONS FOR THIS DEPARTMENT OF THE PAPER, MUST BE ADDRESSED TO G. L. EBERHART, NEW BRIGHTON, PA.]

What is Sound?

Were a tree to be uprooted and dashed to the earth, where ear no was within a hundred miles of it, would sound be produced?

Webster defines sound thus: Noise; report; the object of hearing; that which strikes the ear; or an impression made on the organs of hearing by an impulse or vibration of the air caused by a collision of bodies, or by other means.

The object with me in continuing the discussion of this question, is *mainly*, to prove that my position is not untenable, as Prof. Eberhart has asserted; and I am the last to quit the discussion until I am convinced of the truthfulness of the assertion, or an acknowledgement to the contrary has been made.

We propose to take up his arguments one by one, and answer them, and likewise adduce arguments in favor of the *untenable* side of the question.

First, He says: "Sound, philosophically defined is an effect produced upon the ear; a sensation excited in the organ of hearing by vibrations of the air, or other mediums."—"When the air is made to vibrate by the collision of bodies, or from other cause, corresponding vibrations are communicated to the drum of the ear and we hear the sound which the vibrations of the air produce by their action upon the ear." We do not at all deny that when sound produces an effect upon the ear, that it is no longer sound; but affirm that it was sound *before* it produced that effect or action upon the ear. An effect produced upon the ear, caused by the collision of bodies is sound; but this does not prove by any means that sound cannot be produced without first coming in contact with the ear any more than to say that because Greenbacks are money therefore nothing else can be money. I claim my position is not only tenable, but it is tenable in the most *philosophical* sense. And since my opponent is particularly clamorous about philosophical reasoning and authority, I will meet him fairly on his own ground and refute his argument, so that he may have no reason to object, as he did before, and say that my arguments are not pertinent to the question at issue. The question [illegible] And the illustrations in my last article have been pertinent to my side of the question *only*. I quote from Wells' Natural Philosophy, page 291. "The ear consists in the first instance of a funnel shaped mouth, placed upon the external surface of the head. In many animals this is movable, so that they may direct it to the place from whence sound comes." What is that you say Wells? Did you say that the animal turns his ear in the direction from which *sound* comes? Aye, Aye. And on the next page I read: Proceeding inward from the external portion of the ear, is a tube, something more than an inch long, terminating in an oval shaped opening, across which is stretched an elastic membrane, like the parchment on the head of a drum, which is called the typanum, or drum of the ear." "The *sound* contracted at the bottom of the ear tube, by the funnel shaped extremity of the ear, falls upon the membrane of the drum and causes it to vibrate; the vibrations of the membrane are conveyed further inward through the cavity of the drum by a chain of bones, reaching from the centre of the membrane to the commencement of the inner compartment, which contains the nerve of *hearing*." Not nerves of sound observe.

What is that you say again, Wells? "The *sound* is concentrated at the bottom of the ear tube *before* falling upon the drum of the ear." My opponent says: "We hear sound which the vibrations of the air *produce* by their *action* upon the *drum* of the ear." And he adds: "We deny that *sound exists before* the vibrations act upon the drum of the ear."

And on page 100 we read: "Air is the usual medium through which *sound is conveyed to the ear*." On the next page, "The power of the air to transmit sound varies with its density and humidity." And on the following page: "Sound decreases in its intensity, from the centre where it originates inversely as the square of the distance." If it originates in the ear, as my opponent says, it does seem amazingly strange to me that it would decrease in its intensity inversely as the square of the distance. I should have thought it would have *increased* in intensity upon being conveyed from the drum of the ear to the auditory nerve, the *seat of hearing*. And in Quackenbos's Natural Philosophy, page 275, he says: "All sounds that ordinarily reach our ears are transmitted to them by the air." These are all pertinent to the question at issue, or I have failed to see the question that *is* at issue. In the next place Prof E. says: "To claim that a tree uprooted and dashed to the ground would produce sound, when no ear is within hearing distance, is about as logical as to maintain that music must exist in the drum-stick, before the drummer strikes his drum." Now I will have to say that my friend ought to be able to make a better illustration than he has done in this case; for the most obtuse mind, as he has already said, can hardly fail to perceive that his illustration does not portray the position I have taken. I say when the drummer strikes his drum it produces music, even should the drummer be deaf, and no perfect ear within hearing distance. I do not argue that sound existed in the tree before it fell to the earth, and we are discussing the question with the conditions given, that the tree fell to the earth; and to make the simile a fair one, I say when the tree came in collision with the earth the drum is struck, and sound is produced; and from this it can be clearly seen that his illustration has not been properly applied to illustrate anything pertaining to the position occupied by either of us. Now let me illustrate his position in relation to the drummer. His position is: The drummer might thump away forever on his drum and not produce the slightest sound if no perfect ear should chance to be near at hand. I claim that a deaf drummer can make sound by striking his drum just as readily as if he could hear the sound; for, as my opponent has admitted, sound and hearing are different things; and I shall leave the reader to judge whether *his* reasoning is logical or otherwise.

In the next place he has given some sentences which clearly show that sound and hearing are not synonymous terms, and with this I fully accord. But why does he still persist in calling the ear a sound *producer* instead of a receiver of sound. If hearing and sound are not the same thing, *neither* is that by which it is *produced* and that by which it is *received* the same. In my last article I asked him the question whether candies would be sweet if no one is permitted to taste them; which I claim is a fair illustration, and so is the illustration in regard to the musk perfuming the air. He claims that whether sound be sweet or sour has nothing to do with the question. But I would reply it certainly has *much* to do with the candies, and he seemed not to be prepared to say just then, whether *sweet* was *even* a quality belonging to *candies*, if no one is permitted to taste them; but he could safely say that it did belong to sound. Let us give another illustration. If one of our extensive Western Prairies was set on fire by lightning or by other agency would heat be produced if no living creature were near enough to feel the heat. This is to the point, and our friend will not object to this illustration, but will please be consistent and deny the *existence* of heat. For heat is the effect produced on the sentient organs of animals or other living creatures, by the passage of caloric. Perhaps he may say this is only *one* illustration, and claim that it is used in an *accommodated* sense, and, therefore, not pertinent to the question; so I will remove this objection by adding a few more of the same sort. As the sun for six months of each year, is north of the equator, it must shine at the North Pole during that time. Does it produce light there? A luminous body sends out rays of light in every direction, and those entering the pupil of the eye, by passing through a lense are made to converge to a focus on the retina, and from thence are conveyed to the brain, and thus we become cognizant of its existence. But if sound [illegible] tact with the eye.

No human eye has ever existed at the North Pole, of which we have any knowledge; therefore by our worthy friend's theory we do not know that light has ever had an existence farther north than human eye has reached; and will have to say that great luminary, the sun, has not power to illuminate without the aid of that finite organ, called the eye, and which is possessed by mortal man. How preposterous the idea. We feel satisfied by the time our friend shall have answered all the arguments we have already adduced, he will have concluded that our position is more tenable than he had anticipated, and feel willing to concede it to be so; then I shall drop the discussion; but lest he should not be thus inclined we will add a few words more. We will quote from Parker's Natural Philosophy page 174: "If a bell be rung under a exhausted receiver no sound can be heard from it; but if the experiment be made by enclosing the bell under a small receiver full of air, and placing that under another receiver from which the air can be withdrawn, though the bell when struck must then *produce sound* as usual, yet it will not be heard, because there is no medium through which the vibrations of the bell in the small receiver can be communicated to the ear." This will satisfy our friend certianly that sound is produced without the aid of the ear; even if considered in a philosophical sense—for he will not say that such philosophers as Wells, Parker, and Quackenbos, do not use sound in its philosophical sense—it will be but a small matter to prove the existence of sound independent of any help from the ear, by taking the first definition given by Webster. He says: Sound is noise; the object of hearing; that which strikes the ear. If sound is that which strikes the ear, the ear does not produce it: and it pre-existed or it would not be sound that strikes the ear. But by the definition *sound is* that which strikes the ear; hence my task is done; and my position maintained.

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Our Rejoinder.

Our readers will observe that our correspondent acknowledges that "*an effect produced upon the ear*, caused by the collison of bodies, *is sound*;" and then says that the question he is trying to prove is: "The collision of bodies produces sound independent of the ear." We shall pass this self-contradiction without comment; and endeavor to show our friend, notwithstanding the apparent serene consciousness with which he asserts that his position is maintained, that his reasoning is illogical; and that he occupies a position at variance with the teachings of the entire scientific world.

We know that in the infancy of philosophy—in the days of Plato—sound was held, by some, to be a separate existence—something that would be, though no hearing animal existed; but we did not suppose that we should find any person of any literary or scientific pretensions in this age, that would seriously hold such a doctrine. Even in the early years of science to which we have referred, there were some, and especially the celebrated founder of the Stoic school, Zeno, who died B. C. 322, who held that sound, that is the *cause* of sound, was only the particular motion of external gross matter propagated to the ear, and there produced that agitation of the organ by which the mind is immediately effected with *the sensation* called sound. (See article on Acoustics in *Encyclopaedia Britannica*.)

And in the present age all philosophers so far agree, as we shall clearly show by the time we have concluded this article, as to hold that sound cannot, does not exist independently of the ear; and we shall show, too, that the ear is as necessary to the production of sound as an acid is to the production of a salt, or as chlorine is to the production of calomel; and further, that all philosophers define *sound as a sensation*.

We challenge any one to find, anywhere in the realms of Science, a work in which Acoustics is treated in which a description—*the anatomy*—of the organs of hearing, and the part they have in *the production* of sound, do not occupy a prominent position; and it does seem to us that, if the ear have nought to do in producing sound, we should not invariably find it so elaborately and minutely described in Physics.

Our correspondent, the reader will observe, continues to confound the philosophical term sound, with the term as understood in common parlance; and as used in an accommodated sense in Physics. This is quite evident from the fact that he quotes the colloquial definition given by Webster: that sound is *noise*; that which strikes the ear etc. And he appears not to know that, philosophically speaking, *sound* and *noise* are not synonymous terms. Colloquially, however, they are used as such. Nor does he seem to be aware of the fact that in all treatises on Acoustics, it is customary to use the term sound to represent that which, upon reaching the ear, produces sound. In *Brande's Dictionary of Science*, a work of the highest authority, we read that, "although strictly speaking *sound is only a sensation* excited in the auditory organs, yet in treating of the subject, *it is usual to transfer the name* of the sensation to that which gives *rise* to it."

That our correspondent does not understand this use of the term, is quite evident from his remarks upon, and the quotations he makes from, Wells and others.

The Encyclopaedia Britannica defines sound as "that primary information which we obtain of external things by means of the sense of hearing;" and as *an impression* made on the organs of hearing by an elastic body, as air or water.

In *Chamber's Encyclopaedia* we read, after an explanation of the production of sound-waves, that "the air thus agitated, finally reaches the ear, when it gives a similar [illegible] and [illegible]" Here we are taught by unquestionable authority that sound is an idea—*an impression on the mind*.

We are told in the *Encyclopaedia Americana* that "one of our most important connexions with external objects is maintained through the sense of hearing; that is, by *an effection* which certain actions or motions in those objects produce *on the mind* by being communicated to it *thro' the ear*. The peculiar excitation or motion perceptible by the ear is called *sound*. Here it will be observed, sound is an *effection produced on the mind through the ear*. No ear, of course no sound. *The London Encyclopaedia* says sound is a *sensation* or *perception of the mind communicated by the ear* or the *effect* of some external collision of bodies which has produced a tremulous motion or vibration, communicated to the ear. The Penny *Cyclopaedia* says in its article on Acoustics: "Strictly speaking, sound has no existence, except in the idea of the hearer." *Rees' Encyclopaedia* says that sound is *a perception of the mind* communicated by means of the ear.—Dr. Lardner of the university of London, in his *Popular Lectures on Science and Art*, says that "sound is produced by the tympanum of the ear vibrating in sympathetic accord with pulsations of the air produced by the sounding body."

From *Arnott's Elements of Physics*, we learn that sound is heard when any sudden shock or impulse is given to the air, or to any other body *which is in contact* directly or indirectly *with the ear*. The animal organ called the ear, is merely a structure admirably adapted to be affected by the concussions or tremblings of things around; and sounds, in all their varieties, are merely such motions effecting the ear through the medium of the air which surrounds it, or some other body, or series of bodies reaching from the trembling thing to the ear." Plainly Dr. Arnott teaches that where no ear is, no sound is.

In *Comstock's Natural Philosophy*, sound is defined as an *impression* produced by vibrations of the air acting on the ear.

In *Worcester's Dictionary*, the philosophical definition of sound is "*the sensation* excited in the organs of hearing by the vibrations of the air or other medium."

Sound, as philosophically defined in Webster's dictionary, is "an impression made on the organs of hearing by an impulse or vibration of the air," etc.

Our correspondent has quoted from the works by Wells, Quackenbos and Parker: we propose to quote also from the same works.

Quackenbos teaches that sound is *an impression* made on the organs of hearing by vibrations of the air.

Prof. Parker tells us that sound is *a sensation* produced in the organs of hearing by vibrations or undulations transmitted through the air around.

Wells in his work, teaches that sound is *the sensation* produced on the organs of hearing, when any sudden shock or impulse, causing vibrations, is given to the air, or any other body, *which is in contact* directly or indirectly *with the ear*.

Unquestionably these three authors from whom our friend quotes, themselves being witnesses, most clearly teach that sound cannot, does not exist independently of the ear. We might close here but Prof. Silliman in his *Principles of Physics*, supports our position so clearly and unequivocally that we cannot pass him by.

"Sound," says Prof. S., "is the impression produced on the sense of hearing by the vibrations of sonorous bodies. *All sound is sensation*. The cause of sound being atmospheric vibration, if there be no delicately constituted organ like the ear to receive the impression of this vibration, there is no sound. It follows, therefore, that even at the Falls of Niagara, if there were no ear present to receive the impression, those gigantic vibrations would exist only as such—*without sound*."

That is what Prof. Silliman says; and he is acknowledged to be one of the most accomplished philosophers of this century. Evidently he does not teach that sound exists independently of the ear.

The authorities we have cited are among the most eminent and unquestionable in the whole realm of scientific investigation and lore; and every one, it will be observed, defines sound as an impression, effect, or sensation produced thro', or by aid of, the organs of hearing on the mind; showing clearly that Mr. Lakin has failed most lamentably to maintain his position; and that, in taking the ground that sound exists indepenently of the ear, he stands unsupported by a single respectable author of Physics: proving most conclusively, too, that were a tree uprooted and dashed to the earth, where no ear was within a hundred miles of it, *no sound would be produced*.

This closes the discussion of the query; and we hope that our readers and our good friend Lakin, taking the opinions of the most eminent scientific writers of this country and Europe as proof, will readily and willingly concede that we were right in declaring *his position untenable*; and are convinced that sound is not produced and cannot exist, independently of the auditory organs.

MEDICAL.

MR. EDITOR: The Beaver county Medical Society met according to adjournment, at the Ankeny House, in Rochester, March 12, 1868. Dr. W. J. Langfitt in the chair. Dr. Jackson being absent sick, Dr. G. W. Langfitt moved Dr. Stanton act as Secretary; carried.

As Chairman of the Library committee, Dr. Stanton offered a report, which was received, and with slight modification adopted. Dr. McPherson of Beaver Falls, then read an essay. Dr. Ross moved it be published, and here it is:

THE RELATIONS AND OBLIGATIONS OF THE MEDICAL PROFESSION TO THE COMMUNITY, AND VICE VERSA.

This subject is one upon which much might be written, and would be a more appropriate title for a volume, than the subject of a short essay. I will not attempt to pursue it at length, but will merely notice some of its more prominent points.

The subject, for sake of convenience, may be divided into two distinct parts: first, the relation and obligations of the Medical Profession to the community, and secondly, the relation and obligations of society to the Profession.

We will notice briefly each of these topics.

The nature and importance of the Physician's duties and [illegible] ical Profession an honorable one. [illegible] of the Physicians mission [illegible] expulsion from Eden's garden, for disobedience to the command of his Creator, in partaking of the forbidden fruit, presented to him by the hand of her who was "Bone of his bone and flesh of his flesh," he has been suffering the penalty of a violated law, and the uncommuted sentence still remains, "Dust thou art and unto dust shalt thou return." "By one man sin entered the world, and death by sin," and since all are heirs of death, exposed continually to the destructive elements and morbid influences that surround us, liable daily to disease or accident, there arises a necessity for medical knowledge and remedial application.—Not that death can be abolished, or the frightful monster subdued, but that the pains of disease may be alleviated, and the suffering victim receive a short reprieve from the fearful sentence, "thou shalt surely die."

From the nature of our professional duties we are recognized as guardians of the public health, and in occupying this position we sustain an important relation to the community. It is to the physician the sufferer applies for relief. In his hands he trustingly submits his case. On his judgment and skill he rests his hopes of relief and recovery.

The Medical profession sustains a relation of responsibility. The issues of life and death are often in his hands. The unfortunate patient is, as it were, suspended on a balance between life and death. A very little would turn the scale. One misconception on the physician's part, or one misapplied remedy, and the patient sinks. (perhaps lower than the grave.) Now it is that the responsibility of his position, and the value of his relation is realized, and the advantage of his medical knowledge is appreciated by the disease stricken patient. The *obligations* of the Medical profession correspond with the importance and responsibility of the relation sustained to the community.

As health is the most valuable of earthly blessings, both to individuals and to society, it should be most highly prized and closely guarded. It therefore becomes every member of our profession, to exercise constant vigilance to exclude the common enemy of life, comfort, and usefulness. Life without health is void of enjoyment, robbed of attractions, and like incarceration in a prison of glass, the beauties of nature and pleasures of life within the vision, but beyond the grasp.—Wealth without health is food without appetite; all the sources of temporal happiness bordering the pathway of life without the ability to enjoy them. When health is dethroned, activity in business pursuits ceases, plenty gives place to penury, pleasure to pain, gaiety to grief, and hope often to despair. As physicians, we are under obligations to prevent or alleviate so far as possible, these dire consequences of disease, and to promptly render our aid whenever and wherever suffering calls us.

In reference to the necessary qualifications for the proper discharge of professional duties, nothing need be said: believing that all the members of this society realize the importance of being prepared for every emergency that may arise in our professional calling. It will be admitted by all, that physical and mental vigor, clearness of intellect, acuteness of perception, and soundness of judgment are qualifications necessary to every medical man, howsoever extensive may be his medical knowledge.

Our relation to society and to each other makes it obligatory upon us to be social in intercourse, civil in behavior, polite in manners, honest in dealing, temperate in habits, chaste in conversation, and in all respects to so demean ourselves as becometh prudence, morality, and true dignity; that as members of an honorable calling, we may secure the confidence and respect of all men. We are all bound to a strict observance of the rules of medical deontology, and should not, for the ignoble purpose of enhancing our personal pecuniary interest, prostitute our high privileges, and degrade our honorable profession, by pandering to the vices of a certain class of community, by facilitating their indulgence of a morbid appetite, or encouraging or countenancing them in conduct that is immoral or unmanly. And any physician, who will for the purpose of making himself popular with such a class, or of extending his practice among them, write perscriptions for intoxicating drinks, when they are not necessary as a remedial agent, is a disgrace to the profession of which he is a member, and unworthy the respect of all honorable people.

In regard to the relation of the community to the medical Profession, it is only necessary to revert to the fact that the inherent powers of the physical constitution are unable without assistance to resist the attacks or endure the sieges of disease; to show that the relation is in this particular, one of dependence. The misdirected interference and misapplied remedies suggested by blind experience or superstitious notions of those who are ignorant of medical science, are worse than useless, as they not only fail to assist nature, but often co-operate with the disease, and thus aid in prostrating nature at the feet of death.

In self-dependence there is no safety, even when nature unaided by rational and scientific treatment, is able successfully to resist the power of disease; for those who are unable to comprehend the meaning of the symptoms or manifestations of disease, or to understand the nature of any pathological condition, are wholly incompetent to distinguish between cases where danger lurks, and those that are trivial in their character.—There are many in every community, who from sad experience have been brought to realize the futility of their own efforts, (founded upon an unenlightened judgment) to either exclude or expel the grim enemy of life, and when too late have lamented the folly of not having applied to those, who make the nature and treatment of disease their study and their practice. Almost every intelligent man and woman admits, and frequently realizes their dependence upon those whom they are wont to call public servants. Lamentable indeed would be the condition of suffering humanity, were medical men to reject their calling, and refuse to discharge the duties it imposes upon them: the community would then perhaps still more fully realize their dependence; and be more willing to acknowledge the benefits they so continually receive from the medical profession. By the medical profession we do not mean those self-styled doctors, who have received their dignified title of Dr. or M. D. from the nearest sign painter, and immediately offer the unprecedented advantages of their superior skill, to their afflicted fellow mortals; especially to those suffering from *chronic* diseases.—These self-made, and self-sacrificing M. D.s are frequently prompted to change their location, for the ostensible purpose of affording relief to the greatest possible number of the afflicted sons and daughters of men.—Their motives so pure, so disinterested!—What glorious philanthropists! We fear they are too good for this sinful world, and we often feel like asking the Lord to remove them, we are not very particular where to.

Not to indulge in ridicule, we regard the whole fraternity of quacks and charlatans as a public [illegible] quence of the benefits of which they are the constant recipients. [illegible] instrument in the hand of providence, the physician effects a restoration of health, a prolongation of life, banishes death, and for a time, robs the grave of its victim; the husband or wife is restored to their companions' embrace. The parent is spared to provide for children, and children spared to rejoice and comfort the hearts of their parents. The social cord that unites us as families and friends, is thus strengthened, when about to be rent assunder by the strong hand of death.

If these, the greatest of blessings, are appreciated, there should invariably be a corresponding manifestation of gratitude: not only to the author, but also to the instrument of their bestowal and while the fortunate recipients (in the language of the Psalmist exclaim,) "what shall I render to my God, for all his benefits:" they should not forget to extend to the honest physician their confidence and respect, and encourage him in the duties of his mission, by bestowing a liberal compensation for his professional services.—An unwarrantable neglect, on the part of a portion of community, to do justice to the physician in this important particular, is one of the greatest discouragements the profession has to meet.

There are so many that recognize in the physician a three fold nature:

"In health they meet him as a *man*,
In disease an *angel* he;
But in his bills a *devil* see."

"Skin for skin, yea all that a man hath will he give for his life," is the language of the "Father of lies;" and a greater falsehood, he never uttered. There are thousands of men, who are so ungrateful and so void of every principle of honor and honesty, that if they could possibly avoid it, they would not pay you a farthing, although you had rescued them from death and perdition.

It is a lamentable truth, that the veriest scoundrel in community is more highly esteemed, and more liberally supported, by a certain class of society, than is the honest and intelligent physician. They have more dimes for the rumsellers' drawer, than pennies for the physicians pocket. This is not as it should be: the majority of the members of the medical profession deserve to be both respected and honored by society.

It becomes the community to manifest in a greater degree, and a more substantial way, its appreciation of the medical profession, as the guardians of health, the protectors of life and promoters of the general good, by extending to them the respect and support which they merit, so that their time and attention may be given entirely to their professional duties, and not have their minds distracted and embarrassed by worldly cares and anxiety about "what they shall eat, what they shall drink, and wherewith they shall be clothed".

It is only when the community do justice to the profession that they can reasonably expect their patients to receive justice from them.

Dr. Ross made a few beautiful and touching remarks in regard to the relation he had attained with the society, and was sorry he must offer his resignation. He was about to move to Mercer Co. On motion of Dr. Winans the resignation was accepted, but Dr. Ross retained as an honorary member. Dr. Morrow also concurred in the remarks of Dr. Ross and offered his resignation, having determined to move to Freeport. On motion of G. W. Langfitt it was accepted, but Dr. Morrow retained as an honorary member. Dr. Acheson presented a paper in regard to the contriction of the heart.

Dr. G. W. Langfitt presented an interesting case of supposed cancer of the stomach. Dr. Stanton made a verbal report of several cases of Spotted Fever, which had occured in Brighton and Fallston, and promised a fuller report from Dr. Jackson as soon as recovered.

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The Beaver Argus.

J. WEYAND, EDITOR AND PROPRIETOR.

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Republican State Ticket.

AUDITOR GENERAL.
GEN. JOHN F. HARTRANFT,
OF MONTGOMERY COUNTY.

SURVEYOR GENERAL.
COL. JACOB M. CAMPBELL,
OF CAMBRIA COUNTY.

THE Democracy growl because Wade who has an apparent personal interest in the result of the impeachment trial, was permitted to set thereon. They do not tell their readers however, that he offered to pair off during the trial with Senator Patterson, the President's son-in-law, and that Patterson refused. Let them give Patterson a turn.

WHEN the Democratic leaders and journals offer their nomination for the Presidency to Chief Justice Chase, Admiral Farragut, and others not infected with the leprosy of Democracy, they prove that they are as badly in need of a candidate as Mr. Johnson is of some one to brevet.

CASSIUS M. CLAY, our Minister to Russia has, at the request of the State Department, tendered his resignation. Several charges, it is announced, have been preferred against him by the Russian authorities, among these that of unfair dealing in the sale of certain telegraph company stocks to Russian capitalists. As there are always two sides to a question we judge the public may safely suspend judgment on this one until Mr. Clay himself is heard.

THE copperhead party of the present day has but two political ideas: One is to oppose the legislation of our Republican Congress in its efforts to reconstruct the Southern States. The other is to enfranchise the rebels who recently attempted to destroy the country by an appeal to arms. How any intelligent citizen can remain connected with an organization so aimless, useless and characterless is one of those "tough problems" that but few persons can explain.

THE State election in Connecticut, on Monday, April 6, will be the next in order. The candidates for Governor are Marshall Jewell, Republican, and James E. English, the present incumbent, Democratic. The vote will be very close. In 1866 the Republicans carried the State by a majority of 531, while in 1867 the Democrats elected English by a majority of 987.

If true, as reported, that the copperheads have colonized a large lot of voters, and have scattered fraudulent naturalization papers all over the State, we have but little hope of our friends carrying the election on the 6th. If they succeed we shall be greatly but agreeably surprised at the result.

as appears from the record of the clerk of the district court, there have been found 187 indictments, including 83 for murder. How many were returned ignored we are not informed. How many crimes were committed for which no one dare lay complaint, we can form no conception. The registered vote of that county is 112 white and 8 colored. "Sambo" then is manifestly not the desperado in Blanco county If he has had anything to do with these crimes whatever, he has been the *victim not the perpetrator.*

REPRESENTATIVE Van Wyck's report on the whisky frauds contains some appalling statements: For instance: The internal revenue tax on whisky is $2 per gallon. The revenue from this source amounted last year to $25,000,000. Now it is known that the production of the article could not have been less than 100,000,000 gallons, and the revenue from this if properly collected and honestly paid into the treasury, would have been $200,000,000. Deducting the $25,000,000 actually paid from the sum the Government was legally entitled to, and we find the national treasury short just $175,000,000 on the single article of whisky alone!

Mr. Van Wyck's report also shows that the collectors and assessors of New York were last year called upon to contribute sums equal to their legal salaries for election purposes.—They contributed the amount called for. Now how would they do this and live besides? The question can be answered in only one way: They believed they were allowed to, and they did steal a sum sufficient to make it an object for them to continue in the revenue service. You that complain of high taxes think these statements over, and reflect that the payment of this $175,000,000 into the public treasury would have lessened your load to that extent, but instead of being made to do this it was stolen, and used by Andy Johnson and the Democratic party to carry the New York election last fall.

QUITE a number of communications have already reached this office in behalf of several gentlemen whose friends are pressing their claims for the Congressional nomination of the 24th dist. We have declined them all because of our desire to treat each aspirant fairly, and to give every candidate an opportunity of going before the people on the record he has already made, and the merit which is known to attach to him. "Writing up" candidates at the "eleventh hour" tends more to confuse the elector than to enlighten him as to the choice he shall make. In this county the prospective candidates are all well known; they have been prominently before the people for a number of years, and nothing that is not known now could be said in the *Argus* that would materially benefit any of them. Judge them as you *have* known them; not from what their ardent friends might say in their behalf *now.* But while we thus rule out communications in *favor* of candidates for the vote of this county for Congress, we shall also take care that not a single citizen of the county whose name is now mentioned in connection with that office, shall receive "any detriment" at the *Argus'* hands. As we said some time ago, the *Argus* will be neutral between our own candidates for the vote of this county, but in no sense does it adopt the idea that Beaver county is not entitled to the candidate at the present time.

THE withdrawal of JEREMIAH BLACK, as counsel in the President's case, is said to have a simple explanation. That he considered it sound and honest advice to resign, is not doubted, but the reason he gave it, is the interesting part of the proceeding. About three years ago a guano island, known as Alta Vela, was discovered or taken possession of somewhere on the coast of Dominica, by some Baltimore parties, who laid claim to the ownership and engaged Mr. BLACK to assist in enforcing it. They had previously gone through the forms of occupation, but subsequently the Dominicans expelled the claimants, who were digging and shiping off the guano, and took possession themselves. Mr. BLACK's business was to induce Mr. JOHNSON to drive off the Dominicans with a national vessel, which the President refused to do, and it was conceived by Mr BLACK that the case of his clients might be promoted before Congress by quarreling with the President, and so he quarreled and withdrew.—*Pitts. Com.*

THE Democracy of New Hampshire are represented as being terribly demoralized since the last election in that State. A few days before the contest came off the leaders of the party published a statement that they had polled the State with great care, and that under no circumstances could the Democratic majority fall below three thousand. On these assurances many of the Democrats bet heavily on the result; they were sure to win: they had the figures, but alas! the actual count told a different tale. They now feel that they were deceived, and by men who knew they were deceiving them at the time. A large number of those who were thus cheated declare that having been treated in this manner they will never cast another Democratic vote in New Hampshire as long as they live. A more down-hearted, dispirited, demoralized host than the Democracy of New Hampshire is to day, cannot be found anywhere.

A Slander on Webster.

The following paragraph has been published in and dolefully commented upon by nine out of every ten editors of Democratic newspapers in Pennsylvania. They use the supposed language of Webster to condemn those who are now carrying out the great expounder's idea of free government. Here is the paragraph:

"PROPHECY FULFILLED.—If the infernal fanatics and Abolitionists ever get power in their hands, they will override the Constitution and set the Supreme Court at defiance, change and make laws to suit themselves, lay violent hands on those who differ with them in their opinions or dare question their infallibility, and finally bankrupt the country, and deluge it with blood."—*Daniel Webster, March 7th, 1850.*

In reference to the above, the editor of the Greensburg *Herald* says: "We have taken the pains to read that speech, as we find it authentically published in the Congressional *Globe* for that session, and we now, and here positively assert that no such paragraph, as is quoted above occurs in it anywhere; nor is there anything similar to it, either in word or sentiment, to be found in it, from its beginning to its end. We therefore pronounce it a bold, bare-faced, wilful and deliberate *forgery*, and call upon those Copperhead editors, who have either manufactured or uttered it, to re[illegible] which is at once a foul slander their papers."

This nails a very unmanly forgery to the counter—a forgery which disgraces the memory of the patriotic dead to mislead the judgment of the patriotic living.

THE evidence in the case of SHUGART vs. ROBISON, in the 21st Senatorial District of Pennsylvania, has brought to light the most stupendous frauds, systematically perpetrated which have yet disgraced the history of this or any other country. These frauds perpetrated seemingly—we might say absolutely,—under the direction of the State Committee, of which Senator WALLACE is the Chairman, gave Judge SHARSWOOD the certificate which otherwise would have been given and which belongs to Judge WILLIAMS the Republican nominee. This has been made as clear as sunlight, and all men will be convinced when the testimony is published. It has been made clear that Mr. SHUGART, Democrat, the sitting Senator, has no right to the seat, and that it belongs to Mr. ROBISON.—Aware of this, the Democrats have, it is said raised a large sum with which to corrupt Rep. Senators, and retain Mr. Shugart in his seat; and we may add that rumor is busy, not to say emphatic, as to the members of that body of whom they entertain great expectations. The freedom with which the names of Senators—two of them members of the committee—are used in this connection, either does them great injustice, or is the natural result of confidence which can spring only from a bargain fully entered into. The vote, when it comes to be taken, will decide this, and substitute fact for rumor, or prove that it was all rumor without a grain of fact. For that reason, if for no other, the vote will be awaited with interest.—*Pitts. Com.*

THE Impeachment trial began on last Monday. General Butler made the opening speech, and a powerful argument it is represented to have been.

So favorable was the House of Representatives impressed with it, that the printing of 40,000 copies was immediately ordered.

SENDING bogus telegrams concerning election results is a very common occurrence with the cops at the present time. Here is the latest instance: After the election officers in Washington Pa, had commenced counting the ballots on last Friday night one week ago a prominent Democrat of that place touched the wire and told the country that the Democrats had carried the borough and made large gains throughout the county. This information of course brought out all the Democratic "roosters" of the country. It now turns out that it was the *Republicans* that carried Washington —by the way a very close town—and made the heavy gains throughout that county. The Democratic papers however will never give their readers this corrected information.

A RIOT occurred at the coal mines of John O'Neill & Son, at Pine Run, on the Monongahela river, three miles above Pittsburgh on last Monday. One man was killed and five wounded. Three hundred persons were engaged in the riot. The trouble grew out of a strike on the part of the miners.

GEN. HANCOCK has been relieved of the command of the Fifth Military District, and has been ordered to take command of the Military Division of the Atlantic, created by order of the President, Feb. 12th, 1868. Gen. Buchanan has been placed in temporary command of the Fifth District.

The Election Frauds.

The Harrisburg correspondent of the Pittsburgh *Commercial* of the 27th says this, in reference to the Robison vs. Shugart election case, and the frauds committed in Luzerne and Centre counties:

The committee on the contested election case of Robison vs. Shugart is drawing its investigation to a close. The counsel for the contestant are offering rebutting testimony this week. They are bound to close that to-morrow night. Your readers well remember that at the commencement they produced a Mr. O'Mara who testified that he had been paid five hundred dollars by a priest, named Father Tracy, for going out of the State and staying out until after the trial of this case so as not testify as to what he knew about the fraud that had been practiced at Phillipsburg. Mr. Shugart's councel and all the Copperhead leaders said that O'Mara had sworn to what was not true. They impeached his character for truth and veracity. They summoned witnesses to prove that he was not to be believed upon oath, but they never produced Father Tracy to disprove Mr. O'Mara's evidence. Father Tracy they took care to keep out of reach during the whole trial. Robison's counsel could not find him until last night. But as the case was known to be about closed, Father Tracy concluded it was safe for him to return to Clearfield and Elk counties. One of Robison's counsel happened to be on the train from Philadelphia westward last night, and he soon discovered Father Tracy on board the cars and entered into conversation with him, and found out that all Mr. O'Mara had testified to was true. However as the counsel had no subpœna with him he could not compel Father Tracy to stop off as a witness. However, such men as H. B. Swope and John Cessna are not to be baffled if energy and legal talent will prevent it. It is not necessary to say how they did it; but they had a man at Tyrone with a subpœna when Father Tracy arrived there who subpœnaed him and brought him back here to-day, and when the committee met this afternoon and two or three witnesses had been examined, Mr. Cessna called Rev. Thomas Tracy! It was rather laughable to see the long faces of Mr. Orvis and Mr. Miller, Mr. Shugart's counsel, when the name was called, and when the priest came forward to be sworn. That was the first hint they had he was on hand. They demanded at once to know what was proposed to be proved by the witness. Mr. Swope wrote down what he proposed to prove by Father Tracy. Mr. Orvis noted down his objections. They were both read to the committee and the objections over ruled, and the testimony admitted. It was offered to prove the correctness of O'Mara's testimony, and to rebut the testimony of those who swore that they would not believe him on oath. The following is substantially Tracy's testimony as taken down by your correspondent at the time: About two or three weeks before the meeting of the Legislature—the first of last January—I paid Mr. O. Mara five hundred dollars in his own house in Clearfield it was in the evening I paid him. The agreement was he was to leave the State and stay out of it for three months. Mr. Gorman—a boss of Mr. Collins's—gave me the money to pay to O'Mara. It was at the instance of Mr. Gorman I made the arrangement with O'Mara. I had correspondence with Mr. W. A. Wallace on the subject. The intention was to keep Mr. O'Mara out of the State until this contested election case was decided."

The foregoing was on examination in chief. Mr. Orvis cross-examined him and elicited the folowing:

"Mr. Gorman was the only man that I was aware knew all about my arangement with Mr. O'Mara; he was the only person who gave me any money; the only person who authorized me to make this arangement with O'Mara. Had some correspondence with W A. WALLACE, he never gave me any money; he said he would not give any of HIS OWN MONEY for that purpose." was in session. It was a great pity this witness had not been allowed to give his evidence in full before adjournment, and before Mr. Wallace and his friends had time to have an interview with him. He evidently was disposed to tell the truth. It will be seen how much influence these desperate leaders will have on him by his testimony before the committee to-night. Comment on this is entirely unnecessary. Just to think of a Catholic priest being employed to bribe one of his own followers to leave the State, so that the frauds practised by the party claiming to have such reverence for the Constitution as the leaders of the Copperhead party have the effrontery to claim. JUNIUS

Soldiers' and Sailors' National Convention.

A Soldiers' and Sailors' National Convention will be held in Chicago on the 19th of May next, the day before the sitting of the National Republican Convention in the same city, for the purpose of placing in nomination candidates for President and Vice President of the United States. At the Soldiers' State Convention, held in Philadelphia, on the 8th of January, General James S. Beaver, its President, was directed to appoint the delegates from this State, and they were instructed to vote for Grant and Curtin. The following is a list of the delegates selected by Gen. Beaver.

DELEGATES AT LARGE.

Gen J F Hartranft, Gen Charles H T Collis, Gen A L Pearson, Gen Harry White, Gen Lemuel Todd, and Gen Harrison Allen.

DISTRICT DELEGATES.

I. Colonel H C Alleman, Colonel Myer Asch and Lieutenant Samuel C Perkins.
II. General Hector Tyndale, Colonel Isaac Parker and Major Richard Ellis.
III. Colonel Wm B Mann, Lieutenant Nathan Spering and Benjamin Thomas.
IV. General S Irvin Given, Captain Harry Conner and Captain W J Mackey.
V. Gen Charles M Prevost, Gen Joshua T Owen and Captain Alfred Marple.
VI. Gen W M Mintzer, Major W H Yerkes and Colonel W H Hammersley.
VII. Col N A Pennypacker, Col George F Smith and Hiram Eves.
VIII. Capt C D Elliott, Capt Wm A Sands and Capt George W Durrell.
IX. Gen J W Fisher, Col W L Baer and Dr A M Barr.
X. Col D S Mathews, Col J G Frick and Gen J G Siegfield.
XI. Gen Charles Albright, Col W H Armstrong and Gen Selfridge.
XII. Col Henry Hoyt, Col F S Hitchcock and Col Lewis Burnett.
XIII. Gen H J Madill, Col A J Frick and Lieut H R Durham.
XIV. Col H J Sheaffer, Col John McCleary and Scott Clingan.
XV. Col F B Kauffman, Capt W H Lauricks and Lieut Samuel Foster.
XVI. Gen W D Dickson, Capt Sidney Russell and Captain Edward McPherson.
XVII. Gen J P Taylor, Col R A McCoy and Capt Joseph A Green.
XVIII. Major Jesse Merrill, Maj—— Nichols and Capt C H Hall.
XIX. Gen H L Browne, Col E Irvin and Lieut A B McClain.
XX. Col S B Dick, Col A P Duncan and Capt George W Westlake.
XXI. Gen J F Gallagher, Capt W C Gordon and Capt Amasa Fuller.
XXII. Col R Biddle Roberts, Major E A Montooth and Capt John McConnell.
XXIII. Gen Charles Barnes, Gen S M Jackson and G W Black.
XXIV. Capt M R Adams, Hon J R Kelly and Capt W W Gibson.

ANDREW JOHNSON appealed directly from Congress to the people of New Hampshire on the great issue of impeachment, and exhausted all his power, patronage and plunder to rally the Democracy. They have heard his proofs and allegations, and the lightning flashed their verdict from sea to sea and from continent to continent, pronouncing him GUILTY!

Crawford County System.

The Pittsburg *Commercial*, speaking of the failure to effect a change in the method of making nominations in Allegheny county, at their last Republican Convention, remarks: "Although the effort to effect a change has failed, for the present in Allegheny county, it is hoped that some plan may yet be adopted by which Republican voters may make their nominations in a more satisfactory manner than at present," and speaking of the working of the Crawford County System in Lancaster, the *Commercial*, says "An honest expression of the preference of the party has thus been obtained, and good men have been selected as candidates."

Referring to the working of the Crawford System in Lancaster county, where it has only been in operation one year, the Philadelphia *Press* says:

"Our special dispatch this morning from Lancaster county, giving the result of the delegate elections held there on Saturday, bears remarkable testimony to the practical working of what is popularly known as the Crawford county system. Under the rules of that system the election was conducted, and we have a return of 6,068 votes cast—almost seven thousand. In 1867 the Republican vote of Lancaster county cast at the general election for Judge Williams was 12,799; in 1866 for Governor Geary, 14,599; in 1865 for General Hartranft, 11,409; in 1864, for President Lincoln, 14,469. During the last four years, embracing a Presidential, gubernatorial judicial and general State election, the average Republican vote of the county polled at a general election has amounted to 13,302. On Saturday more than half that number of votes were brought out at a primary election. This speaks volumes for the system that elicited them. Those familiar with the ordinary working of the machinery of the government know how very rarely a primary or delegate vote approaches fifty or even twenty per cent. of the full strength of the party. Most generally, under the old system, twenty-five or thirty hacks, in the back room of a tavern redolent with the fumes of bad whisky and worse tobacco, determine the whole matter for a ward or townships of from three to five hundred voters."

The *State Guard*, says: "The result of this election in Lancaster county, commends itself to the serious attention of the masses of the Republican party everywhere. Every man's vote in this election was felt as an expression of his preference for candidates whom the desired to see nominated. No fairer or more manly system for nominating candidates than that just adopted by the Republicans of Lancaster county could possibly be established.

Western Grain Prospects.

The Chicago *Journal*, of yesterday, makes the following report as to the growing Wheat crop:

"We hear favorable accounts of coming crops from every part of the country. A gentleman who has been over a good portion of Wisconsin says that he was surprised to find the that so much plowing was done last fall, the weather having been very dry, but the ground was never better for the wheat crop than this spring. If the present weather continues farmers will commence sowing in a few days. March sown wheat always yields the best crop. The Belleville, (Illinois) *Advocate* is informed, by a gentleman of good judgment and reliability, whose business calls him into all parts of St. Clair and adjoining counties, that the prospects for a heavy crop of wheat are remarkably good—seldom, if ever better. If the prospect continues as good a few weeks longer the price of wheat must come down. There are in that section, says the Belleville *Advocate*, large quantities of old wheat held for higher prices. If the coming crop bids fair, each succeeding week must see a decline in [illegible] fields are looking reasonably well—as flattering as ever before at this season. The drought in the fall cut down the acres planted, but this will be more than made good by the sowing of spring wheat."

The New Albany *Commercial* says that "the prospect of a fair wheat crop is brightening. There is much improvement in its appearance within a week or two."

AT the Republican State Convention last week a delegate from Luzerne Co. exhibited a large number of printed naturalization certificates, in blank with the signatures of the Democratic Prothonotary and the seal of the court affixed. He alleged that not less than *five thousand* of these fraudulent papers had been made and distributed by the Democratic managers of that region, thereby enabling them to elect a member of Congress and several members of the Legislature, not to speak of the election of Judge Sharswood last fall. It is by such frauds as these that the Democratic party wins many of its triumphs. The Convention impelled by this disclosure, adopted a resolution in favor of a law requiring all legal voters to be registered before the election, a precautionary measure which we hope to see enacted and enforced.—*Chambersburg Repository.*

WHEN Andrew Johnson was swinging around the circle he denounced Congress as a revolutionary, tyranical unconstitutional body that was "hanging on the verge of the government." Now he responds to a summons to answer the charge of high crimes and misdemeanors, by a letter addressed to "this honorable court, siting as a court of impeachment," to try articles prefered by "the honorable, the House of Representatives of the United Staes." A. J. is getting lucid!

New Advertisements.

U. S. INTERNAL REVENUE FOR 1868.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO ALL PERSONS interested that the annual lists of assessments for Internal Revenue taxes for the year 1868, have been returned to me by the several Assistant Assessors of the 24th Collection District of Penn'a., and that they will be open for inspection at the

ASSESSOR'S OFFICE,

in Washington, Penn'a., from the 3d to the 15th day of April next, during which time persons aggrieved may make appeals from what they consider erroneous assessments. Appeals must be in writing, specifying particularly the matter of complaint, respecting which a decision is requested.

JAS. B. RUPLE, Assessor, 24th Dist., Pa.
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BOUNTY ACCOUNT.

ACCOUNT OF RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEments by School Directors of Darlington township and Borough, for bounty purposes during the years 1864, 1865 and 1866.

		DR.
To bonds issued,		$27034 65
		CR.
By bounty to 79 volunteers and 11 veterans,	26855 65	
By stamps and blanks,	49 00	
By cash to Robt. Irwin, Sec'y.,	100 00	
By cash paid to J. Cunningham for services,	30 00	27034 65

Rev. SAMUEL PATTERSON, Treasurer.

		DR.
To assessments,		22535 10
		CR.
By amount paid on bonds,	18234 73	
By collectors commission,	380 00	
by errors in assessment,	48 48	
By lost tax and exonerations	2607 28	
By cash in Treas'rs. hand Mar. 1, '68,	1254 61	22525 10

We hereby certify that we have have examined the foregoing account and find it correct as it stands stated.

J. I. REED,
M. M. MARQUIS, } Auditors.

Darlington, March 21st, 1868.
(Local copy.)

Whereas, there are some misunderstandings or discrepancies between the Auditors and Board of School Directors and Treasurer of our bounty funds in regard to the disbursement, I feel it my duty as an officer of the board to make a further statement.

Assessments,		$25604 77
Vouchers in Treasurer's hands.	20124 42	
Collector's commission,	380 00	
Errors in assessment,	48 48	
Lost tax	2518 47	
		23111 37

The above figures show that the Treasurer paid out all the funds he received, and sixteen dollars and sixty cents more, not reserving even his own commission as Treasurer.
S. M. ROSS.
apr1'68:3t.

Geo. C. Speyerer,

AT HIS OLD STAND

Corner of Water and James sts.,

Rochester, Pa.,

GENERAL DEALER IN

DRY GOODS,
NOTIONS,
HATS,
CAPS,
BOOTS and SHOES,
GROCERIES,
PROVISIONS,
HARDWARE,
IRON,
NAILS and
CARPENTER TOOLS,
ROPES and OCUM,
PACKING YARN,
OILS,

PAINTS, DRY AND IN OIL,

Queensware and Willow-ware.

FLOUR, FLOUR, FLOUR,

WHOLESALE and RETAIL.

Having the sole agency for the celebrated

CANTON CITY MILL.

For Rochester and vicinity, we offer flour to dealers at Pittsburgh rates, saving freight from there.—Also,

FEED,

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL.

Also, having the agency for Buffalo Scale Co's. Scales, we offer to the public, Scales at manufacturers prices, consisting of Hopper, Counter, Hay, Cattle, Darmont, Rolling Mill and Railroad Scales.

Also, Agents for Eureka Bone Sulphate of Lime and Plaster Paris for lands.

Beaver Salt Manufacturing Co's. Salt always on hand, we have always a full stock on hands.

OUR MOTTO:

'CALL ONCE AND YOU WILL CALL AGAIN.'

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NEW HARDWARE STORE.

PITTSBURGH, PA.

A LARGE, NEW AND COMPLETE ASSORTMENT of

HARDWARE, CUTLERY, &C.

Hay and Manure Forks, Hoes, Shovels and Scythes, with every variety of goods usually found in a

HARDWARE STORE.

Call and examine my stock.

N. STUPY.

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HOFFMAN, HOENE & CO.,

53 FIFTH STREET,

PITTSBURGH, PA.

SOLE AGENTS FOR THE MARSHALL & MITTENY Pianos, so highly recommended by Gottschalk, Mason, Maretzek, Grobe, and all other musical authorities, as the very best Pianos now manufactured. Also, agents for the B. Shoninger, Church Cabinet and Cottage

ORGANS AND MELODIANS:

These instruments have the new patent never failing Tremolo, new patent Kneeswell and Octave couple, and a speciality of two lately invented stops, representing the celestial and human voice, which are not found in any other make. Bands furnished with Brass and German Silver instruments, at less than New York prices.

We import instruments, strings, &c., direct from manufactories in Europe, and we are prepared to fill all orders promptly. Our instruments are warranted, and sold lower than any other house in the city.—Country dealers are requested to send in their orders.

HOFFMAN, HOENE & CO.

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Grand Opening

OF

MILINERY GOODS

AT

J. H. BENCE'S

Establishment, Beaver. on

THURSDAY, April 2d, 1868.

ALL THE LATEST SPRING STYLES OF BONNETS & HATS FOR LADIES' AND CHILDREN, WILL BE ON HAND.

A FINE LOT OF RIBBONS, FLOWERS, SILKS, COLORED CRAPES, LACES, &C., &C.

Our friends and customers and the public generally, are respectfully invited to call.

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WANTED—BRICK MAKERS

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED AT S. J. Cross' and Lewis Reno's, of Rochester, up to Monday, April 13th, 1868, at 12 o'clock M., for making 200,000 to 300,000 red brick. Ground and Clay furnished.

Also, proposals to deliver same quantity brick at the town of Rochester, Pa. [apr1'68:2t.

IRON CITY BELT WORKS.

Geo. D. Clarke & Co.

409 Liberty st.,

(Opposite Union Depot,)

PITTSBURGH, PA.

Manufacturers of Patent Stretched, Cemented and Riveted

Oak-Tanned Leather Belting,

ALSO, AGENT FOR PATENT LACING LEATHER.

REFERENCES.

T. Perkins, Agt. Pitts. Loco. and Car Works,
A. French, Supt. Pitts. Cast Steel Spring Co.,
Wm. R. Porter, Supt. Pitts. Forge and Iron Co.,
Messrs. Martin, Brickell & Co., Pittsburgh,
Messrs. Lindsey & McCutcheon, Pittsburgh,
A. A. Barker, Esq., Ebensburg, Pa.
J. L. P. McAlister, Esq., Indiana, Pa.
Messrs. W. M. Faber & Co., Pitts. Pa.
J. R. Lindsay, Esq., Pittsburgh, Pa.
Geo. J. Rodgers, Esq., Ebensburg, Pa.

Orders Respectfully Solicited.

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Upholstery.

WM. F. & GEO. NOBLE,

(Sons & Successors to Wm. Noble, Sr.)

UPHOLSTERS, FEATHER MERCHANTS, AND dealers in Feathers, Beds and Bedding, Matresses of pure curled hair, Husk with hair top, Husk with cotton top, Husk and Straw Beds, Lounge, Crib and Cradle Beds, Feather Beds, Bolsters and Pillows, Pew Cushions, Prime Goose Feathers in any quantity, warranted good; Damasks, Moreens, Hollands, Tassels and Cords, Quilts, Spreads, coverlids, and all articles usually found in an Upholstery Warehouse.

All work warranted as represented, and at one uniform price.

Cor. of Smithfield and Third sts.

(IRON DOGS AT THE DOOR.)

PITTSBURGH, PA.

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HARDWARE!

B. WOLFF, JR. & CO.,

IMPORTERS AND DEALERS IN

HARDWARE & CUTLERY,

Corner of Liberty and St. Clair streets,

PITTSBURGH, PA.

WE HAVE NOW ON HAND A VERY LARGE and complete assortment of Hardware and Agricultural Implements, which we are selling at New York prices.

Special inducements offered to Country Merchants.

Call in and examine our Stock.

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ORPHANS' COURT SALE.

BY VIRTUE OF AN ORDER OF THE ORPHANS' Court of Beaver county, the undersigned will expose to sale, at public out-cry, on the premises, on

WEDNESDAY, April 29th, 1868,

at 1 o'clock, P. M. of said day, all the following described real estate of Josiah McCowan, late of Beaver county, deceased, situate in Darlington township Beaver county, Pa., viz: adjoining lands of Nathan Eakin on the North, lands of John McCaughtry on the East, [illegible] dec'd. on the South, and eighty acres of which are cleared, and the balance well timbered. On it are erected a Stone House, one story with basement, kitchen and cellar. Also, a story and a half frame house, about 20 by 24 feet. Orchard of good fruit on the premises. Farm well watered, and in a good state of cultivation. A four feet vein of good coal underlies about seventy-five acres of said land.—Premises within 1½ mile of Enon Station, on P. Ft. W. & C. R. R.

TERMS.—One-third of purchase money in hand upon confirmation of sale by the Court, the balance in two equal annual installments from that date with interest from same time, and secured by bond and mortgage on the premises. The purchaser to pay expenses of preparing title, bond and mortgage, and all requisite stamps. For further information inquire of the undersigned, Princeton P. O., Lawrence county, Pa., or H. Hice, his attorney, Beaver, Pa.

HUGH BARNES,
Adm'r. de bonis non, cum testamento annexo.

ROOFING SLATE!

TWIN CITY SLATE MINING

AND

MANUFACTURING COMPANY.

J. S. NEWMYER, President. S. B. ANDERSON, Secretary. J. N. SHALLENBERGER, Superintendent.

OFFICE,

No. 43 Seventh Street, Pittsburgh, Pa.

It is believed that the time has come in the progress of American architecture, when the question will no longer be asked, 'What shall we use for roofing?' but, "WHERE CAN WE OBTAIN THE BEST SLATE."—Older countries have long since established the fact, that no material is so well adapted, and so durable, as Slate for covering buildings. Two obstacles to its general use in this country have existed heretofore: first, the transition character of society, which is necessarily opposed to permanence in architecture: and second, the great abundance and low price of timber. The first impediment is rapidly yielding to time and riper ideas on the subject of building, and the other must soon give away to the scarcity and advancing price of lumber suitable for roofing purposes.

We submit a few leading advantages of a Slate roof:
It is superior to every other in appearance.
It is easily put on.
It saves insurance.
It is fire proof.
It is imperishable.

The Twin City Slate Company's Mines are in Northampton County, Penn'a. The Slate is a beautiful dark blue, unchangeable in color, splits in perfectly smooth plates of any size required, and hardens steadily by exposure to the atmosphere. No Slate in the United States is superior to it, in all the qualities essential to a good roof, and we think but little equal to it. It is furnished at the yard in Pittsburgh, at the rate of $12.00 a square (one hundred square feet), which with expense of laying, will add about 25 per cent. to the cost of a shingle roof at present prices.

Samples of Slate may be seen, and orders left at the office of A. T Shallenberger & Co., Rochester. Pa.

Parties at a distance, can address J. S. Newmyer, No. 43 Seventh street, Pittsburgh, Pa.

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BARRETT'S HAIR RESTORATIVE. OVER ALL COMPETITORS.
BARRETT'S
Vegetable
HAIR RESTORATIVE
Was decided by the N. H. State Fair and is now conceded by the public to be the very best Preparation for Restoring Gray or faded Hair to its original color; promoting its Growth, eradicating Humors and Dandruff, and for Dressing and Beautifying the Hair. It is free from poisonous drugs, does not stain the finest fabric, and leaves the Scalp CLEAN, the Hair RICH, and GLOSSY.
THE ONLY PRIZE MEDAL AWARDED.

J. R. BARRETT & CO., Proprietors,
MANCHESTER, N. H.

Sold by J. Moore, Beaver, Pa., and all Druggists and dealers in Medicines.
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EXAMINATIONS.

I WILL BE PRESENT AT THE TIME AND PLACE indicated below, for the purpose of examining applicants, who expect to be employed in teaching either Common or Private schools during the coming summer.

April 7th, Warnock's school house, North Sewickley
" 8th, Bahls' " Marion Tp.
" 9th, Unionville " New Sewickley.
" 10th, Baden " Economy Tp.
" 14th, Darlington.
" 15th, Court's " South Beaver Tp.
" 16th, Fairview " Ohio Tp.
" 21st, Beaver.
" 23d, Sheffield " Hopewell Tp.
" 27th, Hookstown.
" 28th, Smith's " Raccoon Tp.
" 29th, Miller's " Hanover Tp.

Examination will commence at the hour of 9 o'clock A. M. Directors and citizens are respectfully invited to attend.

J. WHITHAM,
Co. Sup't.
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WEED SEWING MACHINES

ARE NOW ACKNOWLEDGED BY ALL THAT use them, to be the best in use; will perform greater range of work than any other machine, either fine or heavy sewing; uses a straight short needle; makes a stich alike on both sides.

Please call at the agency and see them at work.

J. BOGGS,
REEVES' BLOCK,
NEW BRIGHTON,
Agent for Beaver County. [mar25'68:tf.

Fairbanks Standard Scales

OF ALL KINDS, ALSO

BAGGAGE BARROWS,
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COPYING PRESSES, &c.

FAIRBANKS, MORSE & CO.,

Corner Wood & Second St's,

PITTSBURGH, PA.

☞ Be careful to buy only the Genuine. Scales Repaired promptly. [mar25'68:1m.

HENRY LAPP,

DEALER IN ALL KINDS OF

FURNITURE

Brighton street, above the Plow Factory,

ROCHESTER, PA.

The largest stock in Beaver county constantly on hand, and selling at the very lowest prices.
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One of the Largest & Most Successful

WHOLESALE HAT HOUSES

Is the old extensive and reliable House of

Wm. Flemming,

No. 139 Wood Street,

PITTSBURGH, PA.

OUR GOODS WILL BE SOLD AT EASTERN PRICES, and will be found to compare in extent and variety with first class houses in New York. The stock consists of Men and Boys Fur and Wool Hats, Silk and Cassimere Hats, Men and Boys Caps, Boys and Childrens Straw goods, Palm leaf Hats, Sun ker Hoods, Sundowns, Ladies' and Misses Hats, trimmed and untrimmed. Country Merchants are invited to call and examine our Stock. [nov27'67:1y.

NEW DRY GOODS STORE,

IN THE DIAMOND,

James A. Fortune

I WOULD RESPECTIVELY ANNOUNCE TO THE citizens of Beaver county, that I have just opened a new and splendid stock of Spring Dry Goods and Notions, in the room formerly occupied by Messrs. Nelson & Roseler, in the Diamond, Rochester, consisting in part of

Dress Goods of every Description,

Lusters, Colored and Black Alpacas, Scotch Plaids, Amures, De Laines, White Goods, &c. Prints, Ginghams, Checks, Muslins, Ticks, Jeans, Tweeds, Cassimeres, &c., Hosiery and Gloves, Balmoral and Hoop Skirts, Fancy Goods, Dress Trimmings, Men and Boys Hats, a large stock, very cheap.

PAPER COLLARS.

Stamping, Pinking and Machine Stitching to order. Men's Shirts made to order.

Please call and examine as we are bound to sell at

PITTSBURGH PRICES.

NO TROUBLE TO SHOW GOODS.

Remember the place, room formerly occupied by Nelson & Roseler,

IN THE DIAMOND,

ROCHESTER, PA.

JAMES. A. FORTUNE.

P. S. I have secured the services of [illegible] formerly of Bridgewater.

LIME!

FRESH LIME ALWAYS ON HAND AT THE

MULVANON LIME KILNS

Vanport, Pa.

The best and cheapest LIME in the

MARKET:

Send orders to W. J. DUNN, Beaver, Pa. or to the Kilns, at Vanport.

Lime delivered at short notice.

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FARM FOR SALE.

THE UNDERSIGNED OFFERS HIS FARM containing 53 acres for sale, which is located on the Lisbon road, five miles from Beaver, in Brighton tp. Beaver Co., Pa. The farm is in a good state of cultivation; all clear but about 2 acres; all under fence with a good frame Barn. The house needs some repairing, which will make it a good, comfortable house with a well of good water at the door, and a spring never failing water on the farm. There is good fruit on it, consisting of Apples, Peaches Pears, Quinces, Cherries and other small fruit. The farm is situated on a public road, and in an excellent neighborhood and convenient to School. For further particulars inquire of the undersigned, ABNER MORTON.
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DISSOLUTION NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT THE PARTnership heretofore existing between Robert Porter and John Acheson, of New Galilee, Beaver county, Pa., under the firm of Porter & Acheson, on the first day of March 1868, was dissolved by mutual consent. Either partner is allowed to use the name of the firm in the liquidation of all debts.

ROBERT PORTER,
JOHN ACHESON.
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The Beaver Argus.

BEAVER, APRIL 1, 1868.

Local and Miscellaneous.

The ARGUS has now a larger circulation than any paper published in the county. Advertisers will promote their own interests by bearing this in mind.

RATES OF ADVERTISING:

TIME.	3w.	6w.	3m.	6m.	1y.
One square—10 lines	$3 00	$3 00	$5 00	$8 00	10 00
Two squares	3 50	5 00	7 00	10 00	15 00
Three squares	5 00	6 00	9 00	11 00	18 00
Four squares	6 00	8 00	10 50	15 00	21 00
One-fourth column	7 00	10 00	13 50	18 50	25 00
One-half column	10 00	14 00	17 00	25 00	40 00
One column	20 00	25 00	30 00	40 00	75 00

Administrators' and Executors' Notices $3 00

Special Notices, per line 10

☞ Payments to be made Quarterly, except Transient Advertising, which must be paid in Advance.

State of the Thermometer for the week ending on the 28th of March, 1868:

		7. A. M.	2. P. M.	9 P. M.
March	22,	25 deg.	46 deg.	38 deg.
"	23,	35 deg.	65 deg.	53 deg.
"	24,	50 deg.	64 deg.	46 deg.
"	25,	44 deg.	42 deg.	38 deg.
"	26,	38 deg.	49 deg.	40 deg.
"	27,	46 deg.	44 deg.	47 deg.
"	28,	42 deg.	52 deg.	45 deg.

R. T. TAYLOR.

Wm. Bingham, Jr., 70 Fifth street, Chronicle building, Pittsburgh, is the authorized agent for The Argus in that city.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

The attention of the public is directed to the following new advertisements, which appear for the first time in The Argus to-day.

- ☞ Bounty Account—Darlington Tp.
- ☞ Dry Goods, &c.—Geo. C. Speyerer.
- ☞ Hardware—B. Wolff, Jr. & Co.
- ☞ New Hardware Store—N. Stupy.
- ☞ Wanted—Brickmakers.
- ☞ Belt Works—Geo. O. Clark & Co.
- ☞ Millinery Goods—J. H. Bence.
- ☞ Upholstery—Wm. F. & Geo. Noble.
- ☞ Musical Instruments—Hoffman, Hoene & Co.
- ☞ U. S. Revenue—Jas. B. Ruple.
- ☞ Special Notices—Chas Coale.
- ☞ Special Notices—J. H. Bence.
- ☞ Orphans' Court Sale—Hugh Barnes Adm'r.

Examination.—The pupils of the Beaver Female Seminary and Institute, passed through an examination on last Thursday. We were not present during the exercises, but learn that the classes performed very creditably.

Moving Day.—This is the 1st of April. Quite a number of residents of the villages hereabouts are doubtless changing their habitations to-day. If any of the Argus subscribers are among these they will please notify our carriers of their future whereabouts.

School Closed.—The select school taught in this place for some time past by Prof. Lakin and Miss Tucker, closed on last Friday. The latter now becomes an assistant teacher in the Public School in Rochester, this county.

Consolidated.—By an act of the Legislature, recently passed, Bridgewater, Sharon, and a "small slice" of Brighton township, have been consolidated and "moulded" into one borough, to be called Bridgewater. An election for Borough officers, under the new consolidation was held on last Monday.

Postal.—The New Postoffice Directory of the United States, which has recently made its appearance, shows that there are 25,712 postoffices in the United States in actual operation, besides over 3,000 in the Southern States that have not yet been opened since the war. The whole number of money-order offices is 1,226, and about two hundred more will go into operation on the *first of June next*.

A New Potato, called the *early rose*, is now selling for five dollars per pound. The vegetable is said to be a wonderful article of food, and so it should be at such a price. In this country everything good is inflated by speculation. The moment a new discovery is made in science, or a good thing found in nature, there is sure to be a money greed at hand who must drain the effect of all its benefits in the shape of inordinate prices for its use or consumption.—*Washington Reporter.*

A Golden Wedding.—Robt. Wallace, Esq., and wife celebrated their golden wedding at their residence at Wallace's Run, three or four miles west of New Brighton, this county, on Saturday March 21st.—On that day they had been joined in wedlock fifty years. Their children—eight sons and one daughter—and nineteen grand children were present on the occasion. Gold, silver, and other presents were given the aged couple.

"Save us from our Friends."—Since the removal of a part of the Argus establishment down stairs, we have been literally overrun with friendly visits. This is gratifying in one sense, but in another it is not. If we had time to spare we would like to see and talk to almost everybody with whom we are acquainted, but as we have no time to lose, we beg our friends to make their friendly visits as short as possible during business hours. If we are the "tip-top" fellow which these calls lead us to believe you think we are, please come *after the days' work is over*, and we will then gossip about every thing that takes place in the town or country, or engage with you in the discussion of all questions, from the good qualities of a jack-knife, up to the probable result of the impeachment trial of A. J.

Victory! Victory!—After a most unprecedented struggle in this Borough and throughout the county by the Democrats, we have come off victorious.—We have made large gains in nearly all the townships, carrying many that have been heretofore against us.—West Bethlehem has wheeled into our line, and we have gained in Mt. Pleasant township.

In this Borough the contest was well fought, and the Democracy were confident of success. We have beaten them however, and was the election to take place to-day, would treble our majority. This Borough until three or four years ago was overwhelmingly Democratic. Since then we have destroyed their power, and are able in future to keep possession of the citadel.—*Washington Reporter.*

The Legislature.—On the 26th inst., the Senate passed the following bills finally:

An act incorporating the Beaver and Rochester Gas companies.

An act incorporating the borough of Baden, Beaver county.

An act changing the time for holding elections in the borough of Frankfort Springs, Beaver county.

An act fixing the number and pay of jurors upon inquests on real estate in Beaver county, reducing the number to six.

Licenses Granted.—At the March term of Court, held in this county, the following persons were authorized to keep hotels:

Joseph Anderson, Darlington—John Graebing, New Galilee—Daniel Sourbeck, New Brighton—David Mackey, New Brighton—W. P. Alcorn Bridgewater—John M. Shroads, Phillipsburgh—John S. Shepler, Bridgewater.

The following persons were also authorized to keep eating houses:

Jacob Marks, Darlington—James Anderson, Patterson township—J. W. Hamill, Bridgewater—John Cress, Phillipsburg—Herman Stoessel, Beaver Falls.

An Organ "Galloping" into Favor.—A most remarkable piece of musical mechanism, in the shape of an organ, representing the *vox humana*, (human voice,) is creeping, or rather galloping, into public favor. It is known as the "Burdett Organ," whose tones, no not tones merely or abstractly considered as such, but whose utterances are made to excite almost any emotion of the human heart, whether of joy or of sorrow, at the will of the performer, and cause the listener to wonder how it lives without eating and drinking like human beings. Those enterprising gentlemen, H. Kleber & Bro., 122 Wood street, Pittsburgh, have it for sale, and would be pleased to exhibit to those who desire to witness its powers, its wonderful capacity it possesses to inspire our minds, stir our hearts, and mingle its tender and touching sympathies with those of the human breast. It is said that one gentleman on visiting this amazing specimen of human invention, for the second time, so far forgot himself that he actually addressed it—"Good morning, Madame!"—*Eastern exchange paper.* [apr1-1w.

Pittsburgh Annual Conference of the M. E. Church.—At the annual conference held at Greensburg, Westmoreland county last week, the following appointments were made for the Allegheny District:

John Williams, Presiding Elder.
Allegheny City—Beaver Street—J. W. Baker.
South Common—S. M. Hickman.
North Avenue—E. B. Snyder.
Union Church—J. J. Mcllyar.
Duquesne Borough—R. Cunningham.
Allegheny Circuit—W. Johnson.
Sewickley—J. Horner.
Freedom—J. H. Swan.
Unionville and Concord—J. Z. Moore.
Beaver—Jas. Hollingshead.
Bridgewater—R. Morrow.
Rochester—Louis Paine.
New Brighton—J. R. Mills.
Enon Valley—A. Huston, G. A. Sheets.
Salem—J. J. Moffit.
Columbiana—J. J. Jackson, D. Momyer.
J. A. Swaney, Corresponding Secretary Western Seaman's Friend Society.
S. H. Nesbit, Editor Pittsburgh Christian Advocate.
R. T. Taylor, President Beaver Female Seminary.
M. B. Pugh, Missionary Young Men's Christian Association.
J. K. Miller agent for young Men's Bible society and member of Beaver quarterly conference.

The Conference fixed upon New Philadelphia, Ohio, as the place for holding the next annual session.

Delegates to the General Conference at Chicago in May, were also elected. They are as follows: S. H. Nesbit, T. M. Hudson, D. L. Dempsey, O. N. Hartshorn, I. C. Pershing, A. J. Endsly, and H. Miller.—J. Williams and J. L. Deens were elected reserve delegates.

Literary and Musical Entertainment.—The pupils connected with the Beaver Female Seminary and Institute, gave a public entertainment in the M. E. Church of this place, on last Thursday evening. The entertainment is said to have been quite interesting. The following was the programme for the evening:

Music—Instrumental Duett—"Les Bords Du Rhine," Misses Moore.
PRAYER.
Music—"Kukuk, Wie Alt," .... Mrs. King
Essay—"Unstable as Water, thou shalt not excel," Jennie Ecoff.
Paper—"Mayflower," Part I .... Lide French.
Music—"Harp Æolian," .... Fannie Rees.
Essay—"Falling Leaves," .... Jennie Hare.
Concert Recitation—"Lament for Absalom,"
Music—Vocal Duett—"Wild Ash Deer," Misses Robinson.
Essay—"Influence of the Bible," .... Mary Whisler.
Recitation—"Just as if no Christ had died," Ollie Campbell.
Music—"La Cascade De Roses," .. Isadore Neely.
Paper—"Seminary Offering," .... Rosa Miller.
Music—"Le Rive," .... Ella Clarke.
Essay—"Rip Van Winkle," .... Mary A. Boyle.
Music—Duett—"Our Beautiful Mountain Home," Misses Robinson.
Paper—"Mayflower," Part II .... Jessie Frazier.
Music—"O, Luce Di Quest Anima," .... Mrs. King.
Recitation—"At Fredericksburg," .... Ella Clarke.
Essay—"Ten Years" .... Mary Kingsley.
Music—Duett—"The Pirate," .... Misses Clarke and Neely.
Essay—"Unwritten Music," .... Mattie Walker.
Music—"Impromptu Polka," .... Della Moore.

Next session opens March 31, 1868.

☞ The Board of managers "elect" of the Beaver County Agricultural Society, will meet at the Sheriff's office in the Borough of Beaver, on the 11th day of April 1868, at 1 o'clock, P. M. for the purpose of organizing, and transacting important business. It is specially desired that all the members and officers be present.

At the same time the pasture of the fair ground will be let for the coming year,

By order of the Board.
J. R. HARRAH, Secretary.
(*Local* copy.)

Theory vs. Practice.—We have frequently referred to the fact that the hatred manifested by the cops toward "Sambo" was more apparent than real.—Here is another evidence of the truth of what we have been saying: Last week the cops of Bridgewater held a primary meeting to nominate candidates for the election in that borough on last Monday. Now where do you think they held this primary meeting? In one of the churches? No. In the public School House?—Not a bit of it. At the residence of one of their number? Nary time. Where then? Why at the barber shop of a regular full-grown, full-blooded American citizen of African descent! Two days before the meeting was held, a prominent cop of that place, wrote and posted up a lot of bills of which the following is an exact copy:

TAKE NOTICE.

Democrats are requested to meet at "Bruin's Barber Shop" on Thursday evening next, 26th inst., at 7 o'clock, for the purpose of nominating candidates for Borough and School officers.

If the cops of Bridgewater now "go back" on Bruin after making his house their headquarters, and probably partaking of his hospitality, they are a meaner set of fellows than we have ever heretofore charged them with being.

If there is any doubt as to the authenticity of the above notice, we are ready when called upon, to prove the handwriting, and also that the author himself tacked it up in Bridgewater. He is a leader of the Democratic party in this county.

The G. A. R.'s in New Brighton.—At an election held by Post No. 108 in New Brighton, on last Thursday evening the following officers were selected:

J. S. Winans, ... P. C.
E. A. Noble, ... S. V. C.
G. L. Eberhart, ... J. V. C.
Ralph Covert, ... Adj't.
F. A. Merrick, ... Q. M.
David Stanton, ... Surg.
David Lord, ... O. D.
Jno. R. Martin, ... O. G.
C. R. Townsend, ... S. M.
J. M. DeVinney, ... Q. M. S.

Alone.

At my window I am sitting,
O'er my mind sad thoughts are flitting,
Hopes that cheered me once are gone,
Here I'm musing all alone.

Alone—alone—and can it be?
Is there no one to think of me?
By all the world am I forgot?
Will none on me bestow *one* thought?

Is there no friend to cheer my sight?
None to make life's burdens light?
None to speak in friendly tone?
Am I, am I all alone?

Alone—there's sadness in that word;
The inmost soul is often stirred
By the sad and plaintive tone
In which it speaks that word—*alone*.

G. B. TIFFANY.

Letter List.—The following letters were received, and have remained in the Post office at Beaver, unclaimed, for one month:

Wm. Alexander, Esq.
Rev. A. J. Brown, Mary E. Blackemore, William Beadle.
Dr. J. Conrad.
Joseph Daymond.
Alexander M. Gilkey, Esq., John A. Gambeer, Esq.
Mrs. E. P. Hunter, C. C. Holz.
John Lott, Wilson Liss.
George Metz, Hiram Minor, Miss Ella McKenney.
James McLean.
Nathaniel Nye, Esq., Miss Anna M. Nugent.
B. Pool, Miss E. Parker.
Abraham Rea, Esq.
Benjamin Scott, Esq., Amos Savage, Edward Spencer.
Charlotte Tobias.
A. E. Williams.
April 1st, 1868. MARY A. McGAFFICK, P. M.

Attention is directed to the advertisement in another column of Capt. George C. Speyerer, of Rochester. Capt S. has been a merchant in this county for a great many years, and is known everywhere as an honest, upright, reliable business man. He is said to have a large and well selected assortment of all kinds of Dry Goods, Groceries, Hardware, Flour, Feed, &c., which we are assured he will sell at a very small advance on cost. He is also agent for the celebrated "Canton City Mills" flour, which, by the way, is an article without any discount on it. If the readers of the Argus desire anything in his line, call and see Capt. S. "it will pay" to do so.

A Banking House at Beaver Falls.—A correspondent of the Pittsburgh *Commercial* writing from Beaver Falls, March 26th, says:

We have now a banking house established, the principal stockholders in which are, Messrs. Henrici and Lenz, Trustees of the Harmony Society: it is to be known as the "Economy Savings Institution," and the capital stock to be increased in proportion as will best serve the general interests and healthful growth of the place. Henry Hice, Esq., is President of the institution; Henry T. Reeves, Vice President; John Reeves, Cashier, and Thos. Hanen Teller. A very commendable feature of this institution is, that a liberal interest is allowed on deposits, and loans are made at 7.30, which, I believe, is lower than any banking house in the county.

COURT PROCEEDINGS.

Second Week.

James W. Woodwell vs. Poor House Directors—Execution [Attachment—Sur Judgment No. 87 June T. 1867—plaintiff called, makes default. Judgment of non-suit.

Ann E. Barr's Executor, vs. James Marshall—Summons Case—discontinued by plaintiff.

John Brady vs. Amos Stanley—For. Att.—verdict for pl'ff. for $202,84-100.

John Beatty's Executor, vs. N. C. & B. V. R. R. Co.—Summons in Assumpsit—certified to Butler county.

Robert Morgan vs. Hugh Anderson—Summons in Assumpsit—verdict for pl'ff. for $1524,59.

Geo. W. Alexander's heirs, vs. Jackson Chambers, et. al.—Summons Ejectment—pl'ff. takes a non-suit.

Jane Hanna vs. Fergus Johnston—Summons Case for Slander—verdict for pl'ff. for $250.

Frederick Bock vs. J. G. Bock's Administratrix, Appeal by defendant—Juror withdrawn, and defendant confesses Judgment for $90.

H. T. Price & Co. vs. Smith & Reno—Summons in Assumpsit—verdict for defendants.

H. T. Price & Co. vs. J. F. Williams & Co.—Summons in Assumpsit—pl'ff. takes a non-suit.

Desota Oil Co. vs. David Russell, et. al.—Summons Ejectment—Judgment confessed for premises described in writ, to be released on payment of $300, in three months.

Thos. H. Jackson vs. W. S. Morlan, et. al.—Summons Ejectment—verdict for pl'ff.

Geo. W. Cable et. al. vs. Thos. Reed—Summons trespass vi. et. armis—Juror withdrawn, and defendant confesses Judgment for $112,50.

Sam'l. Piersol vs. Thos. Neil—Summons Ejectment.—Cont'd., and to be put down for trial on Monday of first week of June Term.

The Court decreed a divorce and Separation from the bonds of matrimony between Sarah E. Winnie libelant and William Winnie respondent. It also granted a charter of incorporation to the Rochester Building association, No. 1.

In the matter of the application of the members of the Methodist Episcopal Church of Rochester and also that of the members of the United Presbyterian Congregation of Beaver for charters of incorporation, petitions were filed and publication ordered according to law.

On motion of Hon. B. B. Chamberlin, R. P. Knott, Esq., was admitted to practice in the different Courts of this county.

The Odell Libel Cases.—In the action for libel in the cases of Gen. W. W. Irwin vs. J. H. Odell, the defendant agreed to, and did make the following retraction in open Court:

"The charges of official misconduct on the part of Gen. W. W. Irwin, complained of in the prosecution for libel commenced by him against me (Odell), as having been published in the Beaver County Local, were based on rumors I had heard and at that time believed were true; but since then I have carefully investigated them and am now satisfied that they were untrue; and hence I take pleasure in correcting them, as I have never, in the publication of my paper done intentional injury or injustice to any man."

In the Caughey case this declaimer was made:

"We never did say or intended to say either that Mr. Caughey had any participation in the robbery of the county treasury, or that he embezzled any of the bounty funds. What we did say was an argument based on an article published in the Argus."

After these retractions were made nolle prosequi's were entered in all of the libel cases, the defendant paying off all the costs.

The G. A. R.'s in Rochester.—Post No 113 of the Grand Army of the Republic was organized in Rochester, this county, on last Thursday evening. The Post elected the following officers:

G. Averill Pendleton, ... P. C.
James Hays, ... S. V. C.
John Purvis, ... J. V. C.
Daniel Steiner, ... Adj't.
Jas. H. Calkins, ... Q. M.
John Anderson, ... O. D.
William Beuhler .... O. C.

Dr. McLean's Seminary opened on Wednesday March 25th, with a larger number of pupils than in any previous term. The session promises to be unusually pleasant and profitable. A limited number of boys and young men received in the Principal's room. All who intend to attend the present session, should apply mediately. 1t.

A Grant Club.—We are pleased to learn that a Grant Club is in process of forming in New Brighton, this county. A preliminary meeting for that purpose was held last Saturday evening. Capt. George Barker was President, and Prof. Fields was Secretary. A committee on permanent organization was appointed. This committee was to report yesterday evening at 7 P. M., at the rooms of Capt. John Boyle. We have not heard the result. Roll on the ball.

A Horse valued at $1200 was killed at Saugerties, N. Y., the other day, from eating the inner bark of a locust tree. It is an unusual case, as few animals will eat the bark of the locust, which is said to be only poisonous in the spring.—*Exchange.*

We publish the above as a warning to those who are in the habit of hitching their horses to the locust trees on our streets. "A word to the wise is sufficient."

A Baby Soliloquy.—I am here. And, if this is what they call the world, I don't think much of it. It is a very flannelly world, and smells of paregoric awfully. It is a dreadful light world too, and makes me blink, I tell you. And I don't know what to do with my hands; I think I'll dig my fists in my eyes. No I won't. I'll scrabble at the corner of my blanket and chew it up; and then I'll holler. Whatever happens I'll holler; and the more paregoric they give me the louder I'll yell. That old nurse puts the spoon in the corner of my mouth in a very uneasy way, and keeps tasting my milk herself all the while. She spilled snuff in it last night, and when I hollered she trotted me.—That comes of being a two-days-old baby. Never mind when I'm a man I'll pay her back good. There's a pin sticking in me now, and if I say a word about it I'll be trotted or fed, and I would rather have catnip tea. I'll tell you who I am. I found out to-day. I heard folks say, "Hush, don't wake up Emmeline's baby;" and I suppose that pretty, white faced woman over on the pillow is Emmeline.

No, I was mistaken, for a chap was in here just now and wanted to see Bob's baby, and looked at me, and said I "was a funny little toad, and looked just like Bob." He smelt of cigars, and I'm not used to them. I wonder who else I belong to. Yes, there's another one—that's "gamma." Emmeline told me, and she took me up and held me against her soft cheek and said, "It was gamma's baby, so it was." I declare I do not know who I do belong to; but I'll holler, and may be, I'll find out.

There comes Snoody with catnip tea. I'm going to giving [illegible] in[illegible] formation [illegible] to sleep. I wonder why I don't look pretty in the face. I wonder why my hands won't go where I want them to.

[illegible]—At the municipal election held in Bridgewater on last Monday, the cop ticket, as usual, was elected. The Republicans should have carried the borough [illegible] out of the recent consolidation of Bridgewater and Sharon prevented [illegible] concert on last Friday. We hope [illegible] next time.

MARRIED.

RICHARDS—MORTON—Feb. 27th, by Rev. Louis Paine, at Rochester, Pa., Mr. James P. Richards, to Miss Samantha Morton, both of New Brighton, Pa.

RAMSEY—DUNBAR—March 19th, by the same, Mr. John P. Ramsey, to Miss Mary Dunbar, both of New Brighton, Pa.

SPRAGUE—AUGHENBAUGH—Also, on the 14th, by the same, Mr. Wm. R. Sprague of Youngstown, Ohio, to Miss Samantha Aughenbaugh, of Boardman, Ohio.

WADE—BENNER—On the 10th, by D. L. Imbrie, Esq., at Beaver, Pa., Mr. P. Wade, of Minor al-Point, Ohio, to Miss Catherine Benner, of Winchester, Ohio.

YOUNG—BOGGS—March 26, 1868, by Rev. N. P. Kerr, assisted by Rev. T. S. Park, at the house of Capt. N. P. Kerr, Industry, Pa., Mr. Perry Young of South Pittsburgh, Pa., and Miss Minnie Boggs, of Shousetown, Pa.

ANDERSON—MAPLE—On Tuesday, March 17th, 1868, at Beaver, Pa., by Rev. D. P. Lowary, Mr. W. G. Anderson, of Wellsville, to Miss Keziah Maple, of Brushcreek Tp., Jefferson Co.

DIED.

EVANS—In Brighton Tp., March 20th, 1868, Lizzie, daughter of H. J. and Mary Evans, aged 8 months.

PHILLIS—In New Brighton on Tuesday March 24th, after a brief illness, Mr. John Phillis, aged 50 years.

QUAY—On the 25th of March A. D. 1868, in Beaver, Pa., Mrs. Catharine McKean Quay, wife of the late Rev. A. B. Quay, aged 65 years.

Special Notices.

Get your Hats or Bonnets done over, at Bence's, Beaver.

See one of the Prize Cups awarded to A. Speer for his celebrated Port Grape Wine.—It is the best grape wine ever produced in this country, the standard wine for communion purposes, and the most beneficial for females and weakly persons. [1y.

A full supply of Landreth's Garden Seeds, just received direct from the growers, and for sale at R. L. Kenah's Drug Store. [3t.

Get your Hats or Bonnets done over, at Bence's, Beaver. [4t.

WARM WEATHER AND ITS EFFECTS.

Many people, especially ladies, complain at this season of the year of general weakness and debility. The use of Speer's Port Grape Wine prevents this. The wine is said to have a most wonderful effect in giving strength, vigor and tone to the whole system; it is extensively used by ladies nursing or about to nurse infants.

Parties from London and Paris order it appreciating it above French wines. It is said to be unsurpassed for summer complaints and for weakly persons. Our druggists have obtained some direct from Mr. Speer. The price is low for so excellent a wine, and every family should have a bottle in the house.—*Philadelphia Pr.*

Get your Hats or Bonnets done over, at Bence's, Beaver. [4t.

Pittsburgh Pure White Lead at fourteen dollars ($14) per hundred, at the Paint and Oil Store of Chas. Coale, New Brighton.

Window Glass, French Glass, Putty, Brushes, Glue, Sand Paper, for sale by C. Coale.

Varnish, Japan, Knotting, (Shellac Varnish) Linseed Oil, Boiled Oil, Sp. Turpentine, Rosin, very low, for sale by Chas. Coale, New Brighton.

Mixed paints of all colors, Cottage colors 15 to 25 cents per pound, French Zinc in Damar Varnish, at Coale's paint depot.

Window Glass all sizes, lowest rates at R. L. Kenah's, Drug Store. [3t.

UPHOLSTERY & FEATHERS.—As you make your bed so you must lie, is an old adage, but if you procure your bedding material from Messrs. W. F. & Geo. Noble, of Smithfield and Third St., Pittsburgh, whose advertisement appears in to-day paper; you can lie with comfort and sleep soundly. Lie with comfort because the bed will be of the best material, and sleep soundly because of the reasonable price you will pay. These gentlemen referred to are sons of Mr. Wm. Noble who has been so long in the Upholstery business, and succeed their father at the old stand.

HARDWARE & AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS.—Attention is directed to the advertisement of Messrs. B. Wolff, Jr. & Co., of Pittsburg to be found in to-days paper. This firm is well known as one of the most reliable of Pittsburgh Houses, with a reputation for low prices and good goods not surpassed anywhere. Give them a call when you go to the city.

Get your Hats or Bonnets done over, at Bence's, Beaver. [4t.

Fahnestock Haslett & Schwartz's Pure White Lead for sale at manufacturers prices by R. L. Kenah, New Brighton, Pa. [3t.

MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS.—Our readers will find in to-days paper the advertisement of Messrs. Hoffman Hoene & Co., 53 Fifth St., Pittsburgh, dealers in Musical Instruments of all kinds. These gentlemen are agents for the celebrated Marshall and Mittaner Pianos, which are very highly recommended by the very best judges, and also for the Shoninger Organ, one of the best instruments of the kind before the public. Call and see them when you go to the city.

"Will wonders never cease?" is the uniform exclamation of the millions who constantly use "Barrett's Vegetable Hair Restorative." One bottle will convince the most sceptical of its miraculous effect upon the human hair.—*Norfolk Virginian.*

HARDWARE, AND WHERE TO BUY IT.—Our readers by referring to the card of Mr. N. Stupy, in another column, will learn that he has opened a store at 144 Smithfield Street, Pittsburgh, where he has now on hand, and will continue to keep a full and complete assortment of Hardware, Cutlery, &c., of Foreign and Domestic Manufacture, together with a large assortment of Hay and Manure Forks, Hoes, Shovels, Scythes, &c., and as Mr. Stupy's motto is that of quick sales and small profits, we would advise our friends when in the city to give him a call.

BEAVER MARKETS.

(CORRECTED WEEKLY.)

BEAVER, April 1, 1868.

Flour per bbl	$13.50	Eggs per doz	15
Dried Apples per bus	2.40	Butter per lb	45
Dried Peaches per bu	4.75	Hams per lb	20
Wheat per bus	2.75	Shoulders	12½
Corn per bus	90	Sides per lb	15
Oats	80	Tallow per lb	12½
Flax Seed per bus	2.25	Lard per lb	15
Beans per bus	2.00	Candles per lb	20
Potatoes	80	Molasses per gal	1.00
Onions	3.00	Refined Oil	70
Corn Meal	1.10	Crude Oil	25

PITTSBURGH MARKETS.

OFFICE OF THE PITTSBURGH COMMERCIAL,
MONDAY EVENING, March 30, 1868.

We quote as follows, which are the wholesale store prices, unless otherwise noted:

APPLES—Green apples are steady with a moderate demand, selling at $4 50@$5 60 ⅌ bbl as to quality.

BEANS—The supply is very light and holders are firm at $3 40 ⅌ bush for choice small white.

BUTTER—Prices are unchanged, excepting for a few small lots of extra, which sold as high as 55@56c ⅌ lb. Prime 50 @[illegible] is selling at 45@48c.

EGGS—We note sales of 12 bbls at 21c ⅌ dozen; at 22c, and several small lots at 23c ⅌ dozen.

BACON, LARD, &c.—We quote shoulders at 13c; rib sides at 15¾c; clear sides at 15¼c; sugar-cured hams at 17½c; dried beef at 21c, and lard in tierces 15½@[illegible].

MESS PORK—We quote at $25 50 ⅌ bbl.

ONIONS—We note sales of 5 bbls prime yellow at $4 50 ⅌ bushel.

POTATOES—We have reported sales of 50 bbls peach blows at $3 50 ⅌ barrel, and 1 car do in sacks at $1 05 ⅌ bushel, in depot.

GRAIN—Red winter $2 85, and for white wheat $2 95 ⅌ bush. We note sales of 175 sacks of corn, in ear, at the wharf, at 90c ⅌ bushel, and 2 cars shelled, sent east at $1 10 ⅌ bush. The receipts of rye are small and market active at $1 60@1 70 ⅌ bushel as to quality. We notice several lots of oats from depot sold at 79c per bushel, and one lot on the wharf at 80c per bushel. Barley is scarce and in demand at $2 30 per bushel.

R. A. WILSON.

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(Late WILSON & STEWART,)

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Oil Cloths!
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TWENTY-FIVE THOUSAND BOLTS OF WALL PAPER just received, and will be sold lower than can be purchased elsewhere, at

B. MULHEIM'S,

Bridgewater, Pa.,

Direct from England, bearing the original packages. Also, Window Shades, Satchels, Trunks, Stereoscopic Views of all places of interest in the country and upon the continent.

I respectfully give notice to all to call and see the large and well selected Stock of general VARIETY GOODS.

Included in above, we have Looking Glasses, Carpets, Rugs, Oil Cloths, &c., of beautiful design and pattern.

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51 Fifth Street,

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Three Ply, Two Ply.

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THE LATEST AND BEST

Singer's Improved Family Sewing Machines!

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The Best and the Cheapest

And the ONLY Machine, that will do ALL kinds of FAMILY SEWING. It makes the famous LOCK STITCH, the only stitch which is universally approved, or is at all adapted to first class work. It will sew on all kinds of material with all kinds of thread, and it is as NOISELESS in its operation as any practical Sewing Machines. It is simple in construction and does not get out of order, and a child can learn to use it. It has an improved

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It has the ONLY TUCKER and MARKER that can be used to advantage in Tucking. It also has a simple EMBROIDERY ATTACHMENT, and is the only Machine making the Lock Stitch that does embroider practically.

The Celebrated Singer Manufacturing Machines

For Tailors, Boot and Shoe Makers, Harness and Carriage Manufacturers, will be supplied on the shortest notice.

All Machines Warranted For Three Years.

All persons, whether intending to purchase a Sewing Machine or not, are respectfully solicited to call and examine these Novel Sewing Machines, and see them in operation, at the Millinery Store of Mrs. A. E. KOOKEN, on Brighton St., one door above the Diamond, Rochester, Beaver county, Pa., where will keep a supply on hand for sale.

J. A. KOOKEN, Agent,
Singer Manufacturing Company.

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New Spring Goods!

NO ADVANCE.

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NEW PRINTS,
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NEW CHECKS,
NEW GINGHAMS,
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and PLAIDS.

Also,

Table Dinner Crash,
Red Flannels,
White Flannels,
Yellow Flannels,
Jeans,
Cassimeres,
Tweeds,
Drillings,
Hats and Caps,
Hoop Skirts,
Balmoral Skirts,
Notions and Fancy Articles,
Trimmings,
Bonnet Ribbons,
Millinery Goods, &c.,

The above comprises the most complete Stock ever offered to the citizens of Beaver county, and we take pleasure in assuring our customers and those who may favor us with a call, that the above stock is as cheap as ever.

REMEMBER THE PLACE,

F. A. Fortune's

CHEAP DRY GOODS STORE

IN THE DIAMOND,

ROCHESTER, PA.

BIG SIGN Across the pavement.

COME EVERYBODY AND SECURE BARGAINS.

Mercantile Appraisement.

LIST OF DEALERS IN GOODS, WARES AND Merchandise, in the County of Beaver, for the year 1868.

BEAVER BOROUGH.	
O R Anshutz	14
Simon Saltzer & Co	13
A Wynn	14
W Johnson & Co	14
Thos M'Creary & Co	13
Frederick Walter	14
C A Delarme	14
James Moore	14
W F Clarke	14
John Barclay	13
James Allison	13
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